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Hondo 25, Pearsall 0.

Hondo High School football made a pilgrimage to Pearsall Saturday for a game with the School team of that burg. Of the game was a one-sided affair. The Hondo bunch has contracted the habit of presenting their opponents with a large, round goose-egg. It was not to be expected that they would depart from the rule in this, the last game of the season. A score of 25 to 0 in favor of Hondo was a pretty good game on which to end the season.

The boys report a most delightful trip to our neighbor town, and were delighted with the courtesies extended to them by the football boys and good people of the town. Their visit down there will long remain a pleasant memory.

The Hondo boys tried hard to get a game on the local gridiron for Thanksgiving but all their efforts proved futile. They first had a game scheduled with the Lutheran College, Seguin, but for some reason the team of that institution cancelled their date; next a game for that day was arranged with a San Antonio team but they, too, changed their mind. Their only game then lay with the Brackett team, who had asked for and been given the date, but they also, at the last minute, notified the Hondo team of their inability to keep their date.

We are not advised why these various teams failed to keep their engagements but surmise the scores by which Hondo School teams that have contested with the Hondo team have gone down in defeat, had something to do with it. No team is anxious for a game when they are practically aware of defeat awaits them.

The Hondo team has had a remarkable season. With the exception of the game with San Antonio Academy, when some of the professors appeared in Academy uniforms, the Hondo team has never met defeat, nor even had a game that tried their mettle—which was to prove that it was an unusually strong school team.

Carle-Koch.

Wednesday morning, November 24th, Mr. Richard A. Carle and Miss Agnes A. Koch were happily married at the St. John Catholic Church, P. O. Father Meyer officiating.

The church was tastefully decorated with white chrysanthemums and ferns.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white satin with embroidered net and bead trimmings, and carried a lovely bouquet of white chrysanthemums and ferns, while the bridesmaids carried bouquets of pink carnations and ferns.

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of a wedding march, rendered by Miss Corinne Ney, in the following order: Miss Adela Koch as maid of honor, then bridesmaids and groomsmen, Miss Hulda Langfeld and Mr. Edwin Carle, and Miss Marguerite Gersdorf and Richard Reiley; then came the bride on the arm of her father, Mr. Nic Koch; they were met by the groom and his best man, Mr. Herman Koch.

After the ceremony the bridal party and invited guests repaired to the home of the bride's parents, where a sumptuous wedding dinner and supper was served.

The happy couple left in the evening on a short honeymoon to Galveston and other points east.

Mr. and Mrs. Carle will make their future home in D'Hanis, where Mr. Carle is engaged as bookkeeper for the D'Hanis Brick and Tile Co.

To the happy young couple the Anvil Herald extends congratulations and best wishes for a happy and prosperous married life.

Poultry Show at Uvalde.

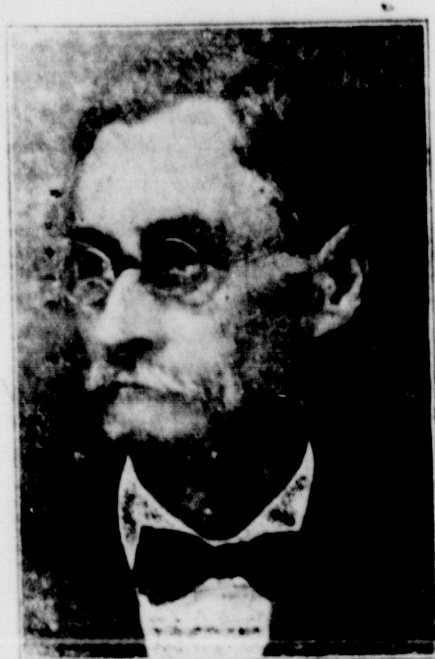
The Poultry Association of Uvalde is planning a big event for January 6-7-8, 1916. Besides having a big poultry exhibition there will also be a School Fair and Trades Exhibit by Uvalde business firms. A better baby contest will also be held, as well as other interesting features.

Breeders of good poultry are urged to enter their stock at this show, as a liberal range of premiums will be given on all classes of poultry.

A premium list will be cheerfully furnished on application to the secretary, H. P. Hornby, at Uvalde, Texas.

To Cotton Growers.

For the real A. D. Mebane Cotton Seed, grown under the supervision of A. D. Mebane, the originator of this famous variety, see Fritz Frerichs. Prices governed by quantity ordered.



REV. J. T. HORGNER.

Return From District Assembly.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reitzer, Mrs. W. F. Miller and Rev. J. T. Horgner returned Monday from San Antonio where they had spent nearly all of last week attending the District Assembly of the Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene, which was the annual meeting of the representatives of said church for about one-third of the state. There were about forty-two or three local churches represented by about one hundred clerical and lay delegates.

They report a very great and gracious meeting. Not a jar or schism was noticed, but brotherly love, frank, full and free, abounded throughout the entire meeting. The spirit of devotion was exceedingly rich. The preaching was without exception on a high plane of intelligence, deep and rich spiritually, and on the evangelical order. About fifteen were brightly converted and about ten were genuinely sanctified at the evening services.

J. T. Horgner and two others were ordained elders in said church.

Preaching at the Nazarene Church here Sunday, the 28th, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The sermon in the evening will be short, followed by a 29 or 30 minutes talk on "What We Saw and Heard at the District Assembly in San Antonio."

Everybody is invited. It will be worth hearing.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, it has pleased the Great Architect of the Universe to call from this earthly chapter to the Celestial chapter where peace and harmony forever prevails, the soul of our beloved brother, George W. Jones.

Be it resolved, that, while our hearts are torn with grief at the untimely demise of our beloved brother and we will miss him from our order, we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who gave and who's will it has been to take, sustained and soothed by an unflinching trust that all is well with him.

That, in the death of Brother Geo. W. Jones, his wife and son have lost a loving and devoted husband and father and our order a bright and useful member and one who will be missed in our Chapter.

That, these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this meeting, a copy be sent to the local paper and a copy transmitted to the family of the deceased under the seal of this Hondo Chapter, No. 494, O. E. S.

MRS. MAUDE WALKER,
MRS. MAY HUDSPETH,
MRS. P. L. CRAIN,
Committee.

Bertreaver-Haass.

Mr. Rudolph E. Bertreaver and Mrs. Alice Mary Haass were united in the holy bonds of wedlock at St. John's Catholic Church at this place Thursday, November 25th, 1915, the Pastor, Rev. Father J. J. Myers, performing the ceremony.

Mr. Bertreaver is an engineer residing in Galveston, where they will make their future home.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. J. F. Bader, and has many friends among Anvil Herald readers who will join us in extending congratulations and best wishes to the happy pair.

P. E. McAnelly Dead.

After an illness of several weeks, P. E. McAnelly died at his home near Yancey about one o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

The funeral took place at Devine the following afternoon under the auspices of the Masonic lodge. The deceased leaves a family of several grown sons.

Expressions of Condolence.

(From the Parents'-Teachers' Association.)

Died November 14, 1915, Mr. G. W. Jones.

"Leaves have their time to fall, flowers to wither at the north wind's breath, But thou hast all seasons for thine own, oh! Death."

Death under all circumstances is appalling. When he lays his icy hands on youth and childhood we see our fondest hopes blasted; when he claims the aged from among us we feel the loss of our counselors and guides; but when he marks as his victim the husband and father of the home, just when the sun of life is at its zenith, we would stand amazed did we not know our heavenly father never makes mistakes.

To our beloved president, we would extend our heartfelt sympathy and sincerest condolence. Her beautiful life of service is known to all; in her readiness to comfort the distressed, administer to the wants of the poor and needy, raise the fallen, in fact where duty called she was there, but in her home her light shone the brightest and soothed the suffering of her husband. If ever human affection could avail to arrest the progress of disease her devotion would not have lost its reward, but this could not be, and she knew he was daily nearing the brink of the river where the shining walls and pearly gates of the mansions above were ready to burst upon his vision, and at times seemed half open to give a cheering glimpse of the glory so soon to be revealed.

In her lonely moments even the memory of this will be forgotten and she will long for "the touch of a vanished hand and the sound of a voice that is still."

The beautiful floral tributes that adorned his last resting place, and the testimony of his pastor were strong evidence of the life he had lived among his fellowmen, and his preparation to meet the silent messenger.

In offering this small token of love and esteem, we but feebly voice the sentiment of our entire club.

MRS. W. A. SCHMIDT,
MRS. V. H. BLOCKER,
MRS. G. W. MONKHOUSE,
Committee.

Triple F Entertained.

On Friday evening, Nov. 18th, the Triple F girls were delightfully entertained at the home of Misses Marie and Dora Filleman.

After many interesting and exciting games of "hearts" had been played a delicious salad course was served.

At a late hour the guests departed, each declaring they had spent a most pleasant evening.

Next meeting will be held with Miss Lizzie Schuehle.

Noonan Notes.

Bro. DuBose performed the marriage of Miss Lizzie Kempf to Mr. Jim Kirkham at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf.

The grooms best men were Jim Shelton and Joe Kempf.

The bridesmaids were Misses Alyina Kempf and Barbara Shelton.

The bride wore all white and carried a bouquet of brides roses. The bridesmaids wore pink and carried bouquets of pink roses. Then came the little flower girls, little Misses Ida Shelton and Eder Richardson, all in white carrying beautiful baskets of flowers. The groom and his bestman wore blue serge suits.

A string band led by Henry Brown, violinist, furnished excellent music for the occasion.

A large crowd of relatives and friends from numerous points were present and all enjoyed a fine dinner which followed immediately after the ceremony.

The young couple will make their home on one of the M. V. I. farms, near Devine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kempf and son of New Braunfels came out to attend the wedding of their sister.

Mrs. George Farris and father, Frank Lowe, visited in Devine Tuesday.

Jim Shelton was a Devine visitor Wednesday.

Noonan, Texas, Nov. 14, 1915.

To Our Delinquents.

Last week we mailed statements to those who have allowed their subscription to get behind, and the responses have been sufficiently prompt and gratifying to add materially and substantially to our cause for rejoicing on Thanksgiving Day. Those who responded promptly have our sincere thanks for the same.

There are some, however, from whom we have not yet heard and we hope this gentle reminder will cause you to act at once in a responsive way and settle the little amount you owe without again putting it off.

If there are any errors in our statements rendered—and we have found a few—we will gladly correct them if given an opportunity to do so. Should any one from any cause wish to discontinue the paper a settlement of all back dues to the paper and a request to have the paper stopped will be promptly obeyed.

Hoping you will appreciate our position in this matter and heed our request as promptly as you would if we made it of you in person, I am,

Yours to serve,
FLETCHER DAVIS.

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C. J. Bless Strikes Oil

Fred Smith, who has been drilling a well for C. J. Bless about a mile and a half northwest of Hondo, struck an oil bearing shale at a depth of about

been struck at a depth of about four hundred feet and there is eight hundred feet of water in the well. The drill had penetrated this shale a depth of several feet and is reported to be on rock as we go to press.

The oil indications are strong, but it will be impossible to tell just how strong the flow will be until the water

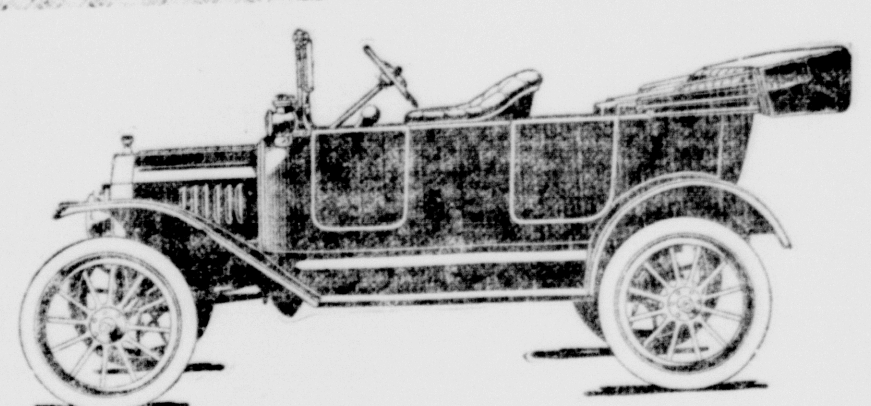
is piped off and the well baled. Mr. Bless has not decided what he will do about the find.

We understand that the work of constructing a derrick over the proposed Koch well was begun this week.

Notice.

All parties indebted to B. C. Manis for blacksmithing are requested to call at the Hondo Foundry & Machine Co. shop and pay the same and get your receipts. Please attend to this at once and oblige,

Yours respectfully,
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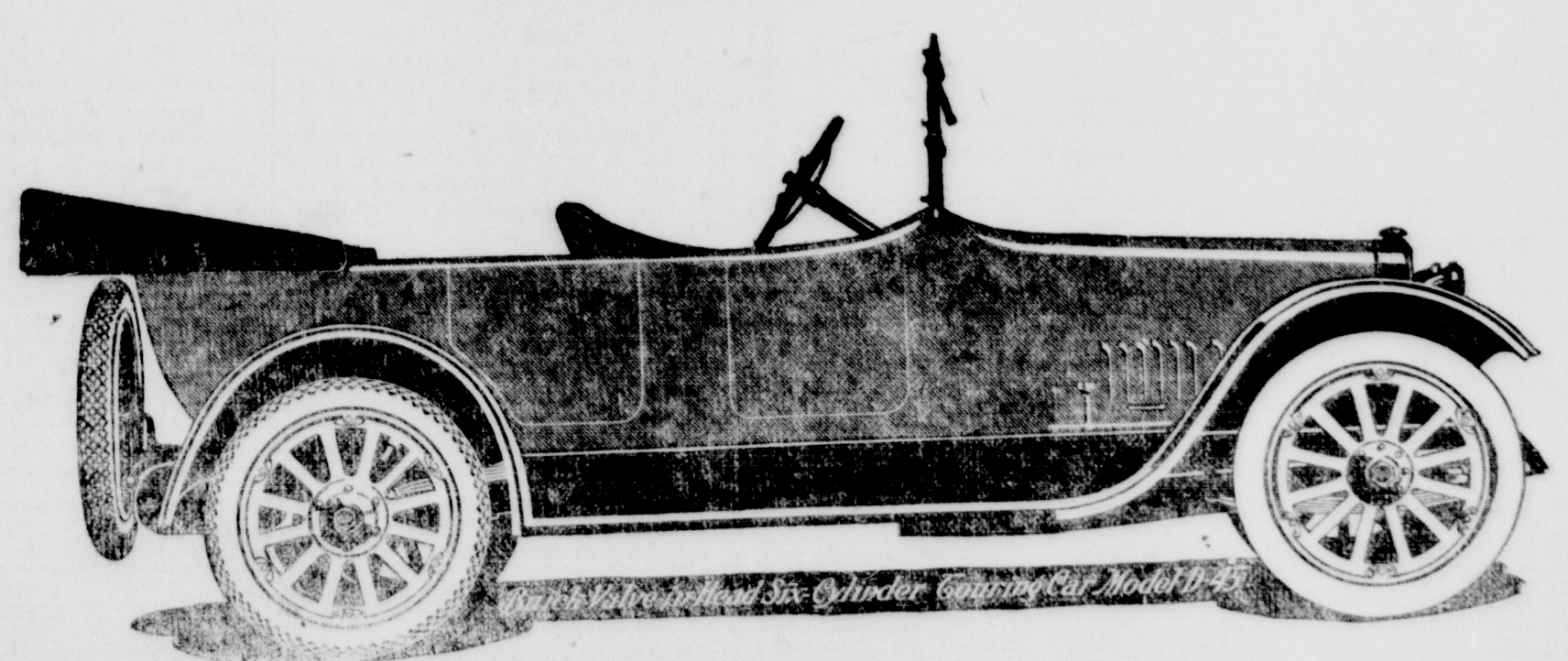
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SOME QUICK DESSERTS.

Toast crackers and put a spoonful of jelly or jam on each. Whip cream, flavor with vanilla and heap on the jelly. Sprinkle with grated coconut or chopped nuts if whipped cream is not available.

Cracker Shortcake. — Open a can of peaches or any canned fruit, pour off the sirup and boil it up with sugar to make a rich sauce. Butter crackers, place the peaches on them, sprinkle with sugar and put another cracker on top. Put into the oven long enough to heat through and serve with hot fruit sauce.

Jelly Pancakes. — Make a batter of a cupful of milk, a cupful of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder and a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt. Beat an egg, add the milk and flour, beating well, fry on a hot greased griddle. Spread with jelly, roll up and sprinkle with powdered sugar.

Raspberry Trifle. — Line a glass dish with thin slices of sponge cake. Pour over it raspberry juice to soften it, then lay over it a layer of whole berries. On this place another layer of cake and another layer of raspberries. Pour over all whipped sweetened cream.

Banana Dessert. — Slice bananas and sprinkle them with powdered sugar, chopped nut meats and the juice of half a lemon. Surround with seeded raisins and serve with cream.

A few cooked prunes stirred into sweetened and flavored whipped cream and served on squares or strips of cake makes a most tasty dessert. Any kind of fruit may be served in the same way, pineapple is especially good.

Cooked rice served with a hard sauce, flavored with crushed, fresh fruit, is another good dessert.

Marmalade, cream cheese, dates, figs and nuts in combination may be used for sweet sandwich filling.

Maple sugar with chopped salted almonds is one that is always liked. Moisten the sugar with thick cream, then add the chopped nuts. The browned almonds make a most appetizing flavor with the maple sugar.

Nellie Maxwell

THE KITCHEN CABINET

As ships meet at sea, a moment together, when words of greeting must be spoken, and then away into the deep, so men meet in this world, and I think we should cross no man's path without halting him, and, if he needs, giving him supplies.—Henry Ward Beecher.

HELPFUL HINTS.

To tell a cooked egg from a fresh one, should they get mixed on the shelf, twirl the egg on a smooth surface. The cooked egg will spin, the raw will not.

A roll of surgeon's plaster will be found most useful for many things other than its authorized purpose.

When making frosting use instead of fresh water that which has been colored by cooked beets. Mix this with powdered sugar and you have a wholesome pink frosting.

When cooking milk, to keep it from burning, put a few spoonfuls of water in the dish and when boiling add the milk.

Apples are one of the most wholesome of fruits and should be given freely to children, especially in the winter. Cranberries are said to stimulate the liver.

For the overworked housewife a most restful attitude is to lie on the back with the feet elevated on a couple of pillows or cushions. Ten minutes in this position will effect a wonderful rest.

A splendid idea to keep stockings mated, especially in a large family, is to place good-sized patent fasteners on the top hem of the stockings, then when the hose are taken off they are snapped together, may be so washed, and will return still united.

Never throw away old quilts, as they make the best kind of padding for a stair carpet.

When sweater sleeves become thin at the elbow, cut them out of the arm hole and exchange them, putting the left sleeve into the right arm hole. This change brings the worn part on the front of the sleeve.

Wash hairbrushes in common baking-soda water: a teaspoonful to a pint of hot water. Dip the brushes up and down in this until clean, then rinse in clear water and dry, bristle-side down.

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Nellie Maxwell

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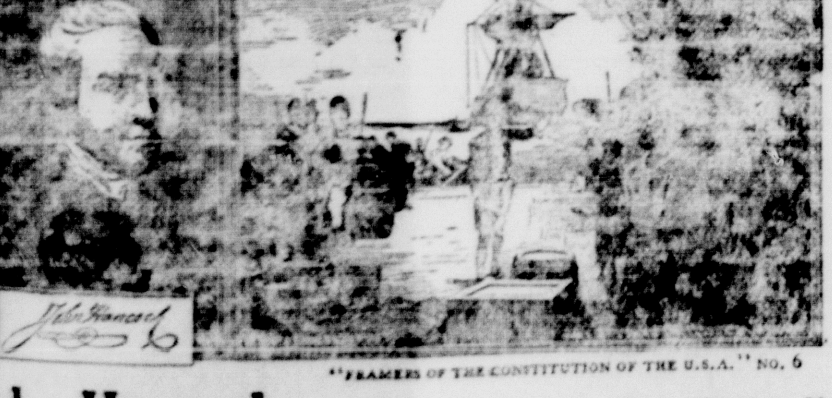
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and also owning a fleet of vessels.
The seizure of one of these precipi-
tated the Boston massacre. In Revolu-
tionary days and until his death he
was a popular idol. When it was
proposed to bombard Boston, though
he would have resulted in greater
personal loss to him than to any
other property owner, he begged
that no regard be paid to him be-
cause of his financial interests. While
Hancock did not sign the Constitu-
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strengthened the gratitude of Wash-
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young woman should be careful that
she doesn't grow too heavy.
To Drive Out Malaria
And Build Up The System
Take The Old Standard GROVE'S
TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know
what you are taking, as the formula is
printed on every label, showing it is
Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form.
The Quinine drives out malaria, the
Iron builds up the system. 50 cents
A man always secretly rejoices
when someone sits on the hat his wife
gave him for Christmas.
Chamberlain's Tablets.
This is a medicine intended espe-
cially for stomach troubles, biliousness
and constipation. It is meeting with
much success and rapidly gaining in
favor and popularity. Obtainable
everywhere.
It doesn't help the hurt any to know
that a mule is ignorant and not to be
blamed for kicking you.
Whenever You Need a General Tonic
Take Grove's
The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless
chill Tonic is equally valuable as a
General Tonic because it contains the
well known tonic properties of QUININE
and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives
out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and
Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.
How few surmises the majority of us
see—and yet a sunrise is one of Na-
ture's prettiest pictures.
The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head
because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXA-
TIVE BRONCHO QUININE is better than ordinary
Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor
ringing in head. Remember the full name and
look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.

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2 1-2 lots in Brown-Woods Ad-
dition to town of Hondo. Ad-
joining the Church of Christ
property. A pretty southeast
front. \$500 cash.
Lot No. 12, block No. 311, in
Jourdanton, Atascosa County,
Texas, for \$100 cash or will
trade for property of equal value
in Hondo or D'Hanis.
Lots 11, 12 and 13, block 144,
Los Angeles Heights Addition
to San Antonio. Price and terms
reasonable.
A 50x150 ft. lot in Burnside
Addition to Hondo, for \$250.
Farms, Ranches
Town Property
HONDO, —:— TEXAS
Insurance Rates on Brewery
Workers is Cut 35 Per Cent.
A reduction of 35 per cent in em-
ployers' liability insurance for em-
ployees of Missouri breweries went into
effect last week. This virtually is the
only industry in which the rates were
cut. The new schedule, affecting all
Missouri industries, which became ef-
fective November 1, recorded an
average increase of about 33 per cent
in rates.
The brewery rate was reduced from
42 cents to 27 cents per \$100 of pay-
roll, and the distillery rate was in-
creased from 75 cents to \$1.25.
The companies did not decrease the
brewery rates out of friendliness to
the brewery owners, was the declara-
tion of E. V. Thompson, president of
the Insurance Federation of Missouri.
"The cut in rates was ordered after
reports showing the experience of all
the casualty companies in Missouri
had been filed with the Workmen's
Compensation Bureau of New York,"
Thompson said. "The reports showed
that the accident in breweries have
been constantly decreasing.
"The lowness of the new brewery
rates indicates that the insurance
companies do not regard the drinking
of light beers as causing any addition
to the hazard involved in the insuring
of a factory full of employees.
"In fact, the companies have long
impressed upon their agents in cities
and towns throughout the country
that their experience has been that an
almost negligible number of accidents
have been caused through the employ-
ee's drinking of light beers, although
many accidents are attributable to
over-indulgence in more intoxicating
beverages."
Peach Bom.
Scald a quart of milk, add a heaping
teaspoonful of cornstarch mixed with
four tablespoonfuls of sugar. Cook
until the mixture coats the spoon. Mix
a pint of whipped cream and one pint
of raw peach pulp to the scalded milk.
Freeze to a mush, turn to a two-quart
bowl, mold and pack in ice and salt
for two hours.
For Egg-Stained Silver.
Egg stains can be removed from sil-
ver by applying dry salt with a soft
cloth.
The Endless Contest.
"The provisions of nature are won-
derful. The giraffe is peculiarly built
so as to reach the foliage on a tall
tree."
"And I suppose the tree grows so
tall in an effort to keep its foliage out
of the giraffe's way."
But He Kept on Talking.
Omar—When it comes to absence of
mind, that new barber scoops the pot.
Heiny—What's he been doing?
Omar—I got in his chair for a hair-
cut this morning and he pinned a
newspaper around my neck and gave
me a towel to read.
Last Resort.
"Well, we have exhausted reason,
logic, common sense and justice. What
more can we do?"
"I guess we'll simply have to go to
law."—Life.
Rob a sore throat with Ballard's
Snow Liniment. One or two applica-
tions will cure it completely. Price
25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by
W. H. Windrow.
Another thing—why not make
woman's hat of glass, so she could
break it up when she got tired of it?
Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO
OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching,
burning, bleeding or protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days.
The first application gives ease and relief. 25c.
The time for a man to marry is when
he is twenty-one and knows all about
women.
Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure.
The worst cases, no matter how long standing,
are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr.
Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves
Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00
Think of the right of common people
—don't they pay almost all the taxes?
Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic,
GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC, drives out
Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the sys-
tem. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

THE KITCHEN CABINET
I know not why, but I am sure
that that and place
In some great fabric to endure
Fast time and race
My threads will have.
—Helen Hunt Jackson.
SOME SAVORY TOASTS.
There are always pieces of bread
that may be utilized as toast, making
appetizing dishes.
A most tasty sand-
wich for supper is
this—cut bread in
thin slices, spread
with butter and
on a thin slice of
cheese, cover with
another slice of
bread and fry in a little hot butter un-
til the bread is brown.
Cheese Toast.—This is another way
of serving toast with cheese. Mix a
cupful of grated cheese, with a dash
of mustard, a half teaspoonful of salt,
a tablespoonful of butter and a pinch
of cayenne. Heat carefully to a
smooth paste and spread on toast.
Place the toast in the oven to get
thoroughly hot. Serve hot.
Cinnamon toast is liked by the chil-
dren. Toast bread, butter it, and sprinkle
with a mixture of sugar and cinna-
mon.
Cream Toast.—This old fashioned
dish is so well known that it hardly
needs mention. Melt in a double boiler
two tablespoonfuls of butter, add
the same amount of flour, and when
bubbling hot stir in slowly a cupful
of milk. Season with salt and stir
until well cooked. Thin cream will
make a more delicious sauce. Toast
the bread, dip the edges in hot water
to soften, spread with butter and pour
over the white sauce. Serve in a deep
dish and have the sauce well cover the
heaped up toast.
Salmon Toast.—Cut some smoked
salmon or halibut or any rich smoked
fish in thin slices, arrange on squares
of toast and sprinkle with pepper. Put
into the oven to get hot, cover with
greased paper to keep from burning.
Serve very hot.
Buttered bread toasted in the oven
and cut in small squares is a good ac-
companiment to soup or cut in points
and used as a garnish for many dishes.
It adds to the appearance of the dish.
Narrow strips of toast an inch wide
and three inches long served with the
sauce course, is another way of serv-
ing it.
For breakfast there is nothing more
appetizing than a crisp well buttered
piece of toast which may be served
with a poached egg on top or simply
buttered.
Nellie Maxwell
THE KITCHEN CABINET
If we never saw the contrast that
there is 'tween sun and rain;
If we never knew the difference that
there is 'tween joy and pain;
How could we prize the beauty of a
sunlit summer day,
Or know half the glowing pleasure of
an hour that's free and gay?
A COLLECTION OF MUFFINS.
Delicious hot cakes are universally
liked. The following are a few that
one will enjoy trying.
Prune Muffins.—Cream
a half cupful of butter
with a fourth of a cupful
of sugar; add a beaten
egg. Sift together
two cupfuls of flour,
three teaspoonfuls of
baking powder, one-half
teaspoonful of salt, and add to the first
mixture alternately with three-fourths
of a cupful of milk. Stir in a cupful
of stewed, stoned prunes which have
been cut in pieces. Bake in warm,
buttered muffin pans.
Virginia Muffins.—Sift two cupfuls
of flour with two teaspoonfuls
of baking powder, one teaspoonful of
salt and a fourth of a cupful of sugar.
Add a fourth of a cupful of melted but-
ter, one egg, well beaten and a cupful
of seeded raisins. Stir to a smooth
batter with a cupful of milk and bake
in hot muffin pans, well buttered.
Rice Muffins.—Sift three cupfuls of
flour with four teaspoonfuls of bak-
ing powder, one teaspoonful of salt, and
two-thirds of a cupful of sugar. Add
two eggs well beaten, two-thirds of
a cupful of cooked rice, one-half a cupful
of melted shortening, three-fourths of
a cupful of currants, and one and a
third cupfuls of water. Mix well and
bake in hot, buttered muffin pans.
Cheese Muffins.—These are good to
serve with a salad. Sift two cupfuls
of flour with two teaspoonfuls of bak-
ing powder, one teaspoonful of salt,
and a fourth of a cupful of sugar. Add
one-fourth of a cupful of melted butter,
one beaten egg, one-fourth of a cupful
of grated cheese, and a cupful of milk.
Stir and bake in well-buttered pans.
Bacon cooked and broken in bits
may be added to the above recipe,
(using less shortening) in the place
of the cheese.
Toast With Cheese Relish.—Take a
half-pound of cheese, grate it on a
grate and mix with a fourth of a tea-
spoonful of mustard, the same of
white pepper, two teaspoonfuls of vine-
gar and a dash of salt. Toast bread,
butter, and spread it with the cheese
mixture.
Nellie Maxwell

Posted Notices
Notice.
My pastures on the Frio River are
posted according to law. No permis-
sion will be given to any one, and all
permits given heretofore are cancelled
and all violations by hunting or tres-
passing will be prosecuted to the full
extent of the law without exception.
12-6t. R. GROSS.
Notice.
The Woodward ranches in Frio and
Medina County, Texas, have been
duly posted according to law. All
persons are warned not to hunt, fish,
trespass or commit any depredation in
same as they will be prosecuted ac-
cording to law.
GEORGE OGE,
14- Manager Woodward Ranch.
Posted.
My pasture, as also the Alf Zins-
meyer pasture, leased by me, are
posted according to law, and all viola-
tions by hunting or trespassing in any
of these pastures will be prosecuted
to the full extent of the law.
14-2mo. NICK FOHN.
Posted.
The Charles Martin ranch is posted.
All hunters and other trespassers are
warned that they will be prosecuted to
the full extent of the law for hunting
or otherwise trespassing therein.
12-tf F. A. MARTIN.
Posted.
Hunting or trespassing in any man-
ner whatsoever is strictly forbidden
in our farms and pastures. This
means everybody. Nobody exempt.
14-6mo. GEO. H. BENDELE,
JOHN FRERICH,
HENRY FRERICH.
Posted.
The public is hereby notified that
my pastures are posted according to
law and hunting or trespassing is
strictly forbidden. Positively no per-
mits will be granted.
15-1m. MRS. EMMA ROTHE.
Notice.
The Geo. Haass pasture is posted
and all hunting or trapping therein is
strictly forbidden according to law.
Any one caught therein will be prose-
cuted to the full extent of law.
7-24-mo. PHIL. E. HAASS,
Overseer.
Posted.
My pastures in Verdina precinct are
posted, no hunting or camping allowed
therein.
7-mo.-pd. JACOB OEFINGER.
Posted.
My lands are posted. No hunting
allowed therein. Trespassers will be
prosecuted.
2-mo. T. J. NEUMAN.
Posted.
My pastures and fields are posted ac-
cording to law. No hunting or fishing
allowed. Trespassers will be prose-
cuted.
4-3m-pd L. J. SCHMIDT.
Posted.
My pastures are posted and all tres-
passing, hunting and disturbing of
cattle is strictly forbidden under pen-
alty of the law.
12-tf. F. J. ROTHE.
Posted.
My pastures are posted according to
law. No hunting or fishing allowed
therein. Trespassers will be prose-
cuted.
12-2-mo. NIC. HUTZLER.
Posted.
My pasture known as the Jacob
Reilly Ranch is posted. No hunting or
disturbing of cattle or any other tres-
passing is allowed.
13-2mo. L. O. JOHNSON.
Posted.
Our pastures are posted according
to law. No hunting allowed.
14-2mo. CHAS. GRAFF & SONS.
Posted.
My pasture is posted. Hunting or
fishing strictly forbidden.
15-2mo. N. WANTZ.
Posted.
Our pastures are posted according to
law, no hunting or fishing allowed
therein. 34-8mo.
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my back and under
my shoulder blade for
a number of years,
also with a poor appe-
tite and constipation.
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medies that I heard of,
and a number of doc-
tors, but got no relief.
Finally a friend told
me to try Chamber-
lain's Stomach and
Liver Tablets. I got
a bottle of them and
they soon helped my
stomach, by their
gentle action my bow-
els became more regu-
lar. Today I feel like
praising them to all
who suffer as I did, for
they have cured me and made my life
worth living."
Chamberlain's
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THIS is unquestionably the
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All the latest cold drinks at Swearingen's Confectionery.

Othello Bradley was a business visitor in San Antonio Saturday.

For Sale—A good piano on easy terms. Call at Windrow's drug store.

For Sale—Two lots in the Bless addition. Apply to M. Reas at the barber shop.

We buy eggs and chickens and will pay cash for them. L. Barrientos & Sons. Phone 208.

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V. A. Crow visited in D'Hanis Sunday.

Washing Machines, Guaranteed. Holloway Bros.

Buy Fish—and run no risk, the tire of quality. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Get your Fire Works at F. A. Heyen's.

Guns and Ammunition. Holloway Bros.

A. T. Reel was a pleasant caller at this office Saturday.

Leo Batot was a business caller at this office Wednesday.

New trimmings and new hats just received at Haralson's.

Fresh oysters, any style, at the New York Lunch Room.

For fancy pecans, phone or write to Jos. Courand & Co., Castroville, Texas.

County Judge R. J. Noonan returned Saturday from a business trip in San Antonio.

We can print most any thing in the job printing line. Get the Anvil Herald's prices.

Miss Ruth Crutchfield, who is teaching school near D'Hanis, visited friends here Sunday.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church realized \$78.00 from the bazaar they held last Saturday.

Mrs. John A. Horger and little daughter returned Saturday from a visit in San Antonio.

Will Grimes, who is attending school in San Antonio, was the guests of home folks here this week.

Mrs. Fred Reinhart and Miss Elsie Rothe of Seco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Batot this week.

Lost—Large Collie dog in Hondo. Nov. 4th. Finder please notify owner and receive reward. C. W. Gilliam.

Miss Katie Winkler, after a few days visit to relatives and friends, returned to San Antonio Monday morning.

Risk "Red Top" Tires—Four thousand mile guarantee—Adjustment on defective tires made here. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Fresh shelled pecans and almonds, this year's crop, have arrived. We sell them at reasonable prices. The City Bakery.

Mrs. Regina Deckert and son, Robert, of D'Hanis were Hondo visitors last Saturday and were pleasant callers at this office.

For Sale—I have several thoroughbred S. C. Rhode Island red cockerels, from \$1.50 to \$2.50 each. Phone 225, S. G. Carter, Hondo.

Miss Bettie Schmidt, after a visit of some three weeks spent with relatives and friends in the Lacoste country, returned home Sunday.

The Methodist ladies will have their bazaar Thursday, Dec. 2nd, at the Leinweber building. The doors will open at 9 o'clock a. m.

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Just received a large line of English and German made razors and pocket knives—extra good quality at prices lower than ever. C. R. Gaines.

Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Drug-gist, Hondo.

Aug. E. Weynand and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolff spent several days in Castroville this week, where they attended the Conrad-Weynand and Weynand-Rihn weddings.

Pagett's big carnival company will show here in about three weeks for the benefit of the Fire Company. The week of fun will probably begin Monday, Dec. 20th.

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For Sale—One Hudson 57 five-passenger touring car in first-class condition. Will consider cattle worth the money. For further particulars write J. G. Smyth & Co., Uvalde, Texas.

The Airdome is now running the complete universal program, including the Broadway Star Features Mondays, "Diamond From the Sky" Tuesdays, "The Broken Coin" Fridays, and Universal Star Features Saturdays.

If you need any kind of fruit for your fruit cake-baking, such as citron, pine apple fritters, pine apple fingers, French cherries, glazed assorted fruits you can get them at the City Bakery at most reasonable prices.

Messrs. Fritz Frerichs, C. R. Gaines, H. Hartman and Rollie Bless motored to San Antonio Sunday. All of the party except Mr. Hartman returned home in the evening, accompanied by Mrs. Fritz Frerichs, who was visiting in the city. Mr. Hartman returned on Monday.

Notwithstanding that Judge Lamm has been indisposed for some time with a severe cold, he is still in the game—playing partners with Dan Cupid. Sunday afternoon His Honor tied the nuptial knot for Sr. Ignacio Solis and Srta. Josefeta Diaz. Early Monday morning he was called upon to perform the marriage ceremony for Sr. Candelario Barrientos and Srta. Pila Escamilla. Both weddings took place in town.



SANTA CLAUS' STORE

Here are toys of tin, toys of wood and toys of iron, mechanical toys, toy dishes, toy stoves, dolls, doll carriages, etc. Useful things for the boys and girls, too.

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Our Jewelry section is teeming with handsome, new and much wanted articles that make appropriate and appreciable gifts for men, for boys, for women and for children. There is no better gift—one so much appreciated by every person as a handsome piece of jewelry. If it is hard for you to decide what you want to give, visit our store and look over our line of jewelry—it will solve the problem. You should not fail to see our line of jewelry before buying.

CUT GLASS

You men, who are undecided as to what gift you should give wife, mother, sister or daughter, should visit our store and take a look at the pretty pieces of cut glass we are offering to Christmas shoppers. A visit here will not only aid you in deciding, but it will assist you in purchasing such a gift as you have been hunting. There is a variety of kinds and designs as well as prices, and, no matter how little you pay for a piece of cut glass here, you have this satisfaction—that you have received your full money's worth.

MARTIN DRUG COMPANY

The REXALL Store

HONDO, TEXAS

Patronize our advertisers; it pays.

H. J. Heyen was in from the ranch Monday.

A big supply of Fire Works at F. A. Heyen's.

Hy. Rothe was a passenger east Tuesday.

Arnold Rothe was a visitor in San Antonio Tuesday.

New Poke Bonnets and New Hats at Mrs. Haralson's.

Geo. H. Wiemers was a business caller at this office Monday.

M. Herweck and wife were passengers to San Antonio Wednesday.

Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.

Henry Gronewald of Yancey was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday.

Eat at the New York Lunch Room. Good wholesome food at reasonable prices.

A. O. Hutler, the Dunlay dispenser of Alamo and other brews that cheer, was shaking hands with friends here Monday.

Mrs. T. H. Flint and children came in Sunday from Seymour to join Mr. Flint, who is manager of the Kuntz-Flint Lumber Co.

Just received, a supply of Columbia Batteries—cost less, lasts longer—for your phone, gas engine, auto, etc. Give them a trial. Carzen's Motor Car Co., phone 151, Weynand Bros., Proprietors. Agents Dixon and Chal-mers.

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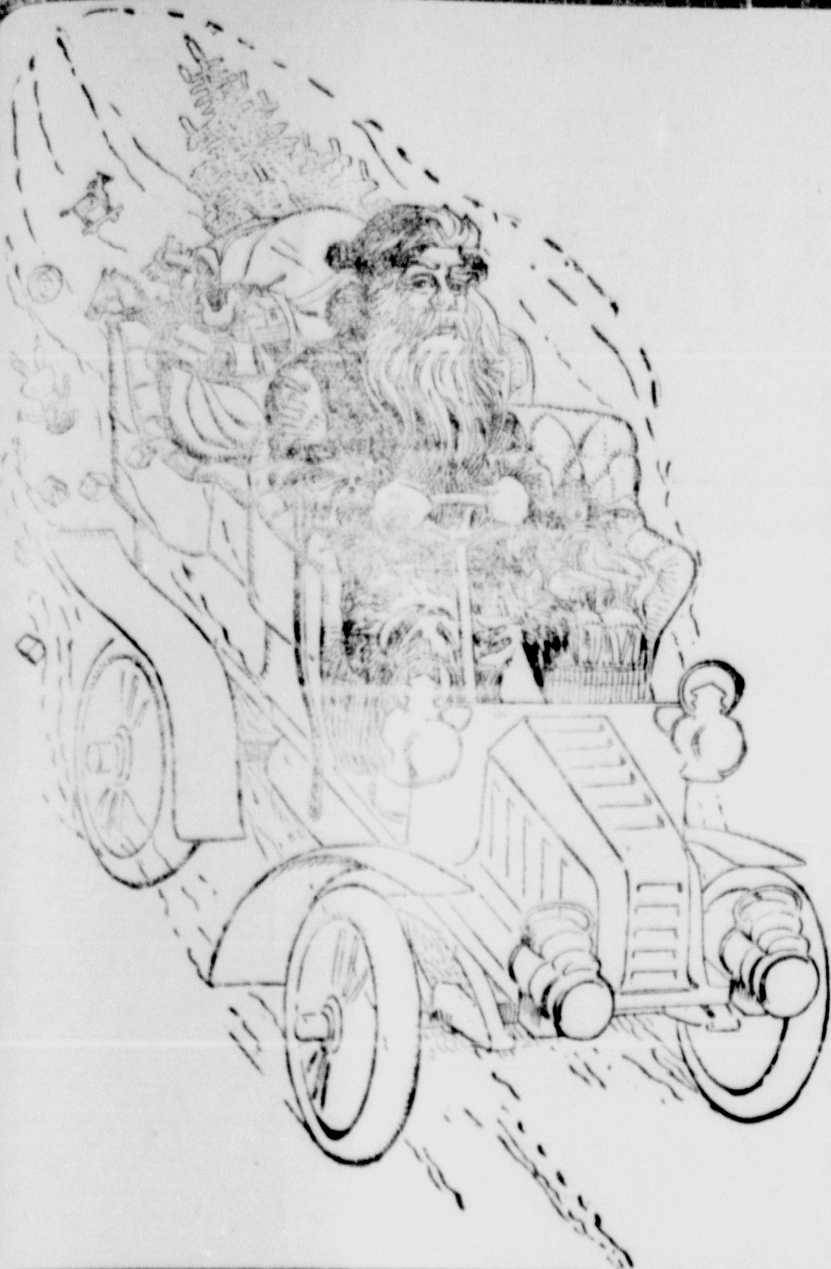
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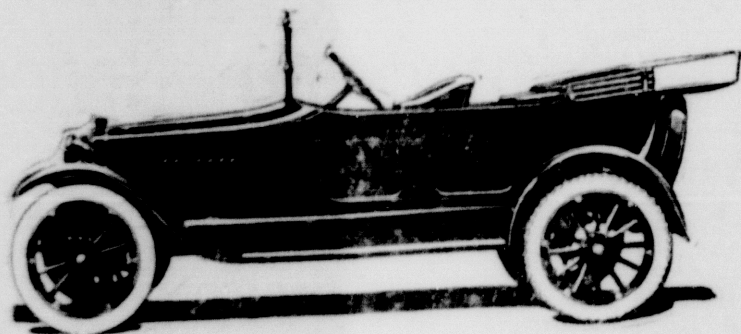
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All kinds of fruit cake ingredients at F. A. Heyen's. C. B. Leinweber was a business caller at this office Saturday. Aug. Schrieber was a business caller at this office Saturday. Fred Lawson and family were passengers west yesterday. Miss Pearl Newton was a visitor to the Alamo City yesterday. Mrs. Hugh Cameron of Ged, La., is the guest of relatives here. Call at the New York Lunch Room for a good lunch at any hour. Jno. C. Merriman was a pleasant caller at this office Saturday. J. A. Head, the Ramsey Nursery salesman, is here from Bandera on business. Fritz and Christian Fuos were in town Saturday and paid this office a pleasant call. W. H. Shawe and wife were here Wednesday from Knippa for the Carle-Koch nuptials. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Martin left yesterday for San Antonio on a visit to Jim Stansberry and family. Judge V. H. Blocker and Postmaster M. A. Chancey returned Thursday evening from a trip to McMullen county. Joe Langfeld left Wednesday night for Ft. Worth to attend a meeting of the State Executive Committee of the Farmers' Union. The ladies of the Methodist church will serve chili, coffee, chocolate, cake and sandwiches at the bazaar Thursday, December 2nd. George Schuchle returned Thursday night from an automobile trip to Houston and other points in company with E. F. Hilliard of Lacoste. Mrs. W. H. Taylor is here from Junction to spend the winter with her daughter and son, Mrs. C. R. Gaine and R. J. Taylor, respectively. Mrs. Louis Scherrer and little daughter, Florence, and Mrs. Robert de Montel and baby spent Thanksgiving here with Mrs. Fletcher Davis. I am offering my home in the central part of town for sale. Part cash and balance on easy terms. See me if you are looking for a comfortable home. H. P. Woods. 12-17.

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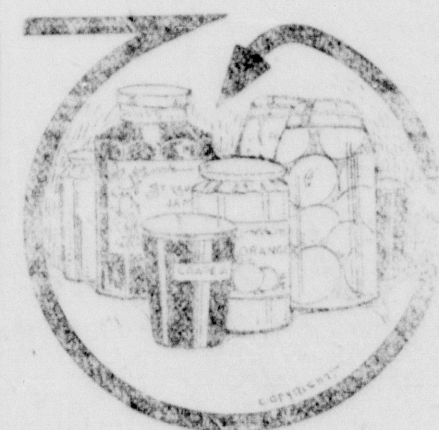
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New Poke Bonnets and New Hats at Mrs. Haralson's. Get your casting rods, reels and tackle from Gaines. Henry Britsch was a pleasant caller at this office Saturday. D. W. Wiemers was a business caller at this office Wednesday. Geo. E. Graff was a business caller at this office Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Britsch were passengers out Thursday. Rev. J. M. Alexander was a passenger east Thursday morning. Earl Starnes spent Thanksgiving with home-folks in San Antonio. Mrs. I. W. Miller spent Thanksgiving with relatives in San Antonio. Fresh fruits and candies at Swearingen's Confectionery. 44-1f. Fresh grape fruit and all kinds of other fruits in season at F. A. Heyen's. H. V. Haas went to Noonan Thursday to look after his ranch interests there. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Koch were over from D'Hanis Saturday visiting and shopping. Misses Alice and Amanda Smith spent the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives in San Antonio. Mrs. J. W. Gray and children left Wednesday morning for Thrall where they will reside in future. For Sale—A new \$45.00 sewing machine for \$35.00 cash. Apply to Mrs. Fletcher Davis, Hondo. Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them. Most any kind and make of rifles and shot guns and most any kind of ammunition for all makes at Gaines. Equip your Ford with a set of Ford Prosto Demountable Rims. We have them in stock. Hondo Auto Sales Co. Good straight sorghum molasses in buckets, 60c per gallon cash, on sale at Boun & Son's. H. R. Bailey. 17-1f. Mrs. J. M. Alexander left Tuesday morning for San Antonio where she was the guest of her sister for a few days. All who have donations for the Methodist bazaar will please send them to the Leinweber building Wednesday. You had better place your order for one of those good Buicks, while you have a chance. They won't last long. C. R. Gaines. 8- The Methodist ladies will have their bazaar Thursday, Dec. 2nd, at the Leinweber building. The doors will open at 9 o'clock a. m. Jacob Bilhartz and Rudolph Posch were here Wednesday evening from Biry on business. Mr. Bilhartz informed us that there are to be two weddings in his family soon. His son, Oscar Bilhartz, and Miss Louisa Buss of Yancey are to marry on Dec. 1st, and his daughter, Miss Irene Bilhartz, and Mr. Robert Poe of Hondo are to wed Dec. 8th. E. P. Ingram, for the past several years a prosperous farmer residing about a mile south-west of town, surprised his friends by shaking the dust of these parts from his feet and trekking back to his boyhood home in old Mississippi Wednesday evening. Mr. Ingram left his farm in good condition and his wife well provided for. Trouble with relatives is ascribed as the cause of his precipitate action in leaving as he did. His step was not only a surprise but a shock to his numerous friends, many of whom remonstrated with him in vain against it, and hope that the differences may yet be adjusted.

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Look Pleasant.

We cannot, of course, all be handsome,
And it's hard for us all to be good;
We are sure now and then to be lonely
And we don't always do as we should.

To be patient is not always easy,
To be cheerful is much harder still;
But at least we can always be pleasant,
If we make up our minds that we will.

And it pays every time to look kind,
Altho you feel worried and blue;
If you smile at the world and be cheerful,
The world will smile back at you.

So try to brace up and look pleasant,
No matter how low you are down,
Good humor is always contagious,
But you banish your friends when you frown.

—Selected.

"So many gods, so many creeds,
So many ways that wind and
wind

While just the art of being
kind
Is all this sad world needs."

It is natural that all should have their sympathies—or their prejudices—in the unhappy war now raging in Europe. But the sufferings of that distraught country should teach us that what this country needs to do above all things else is to steer such an impartial course as to enable us to keep out of the conflict. Let's hide our partizanship; let's have peace!

THE Texas University has enrolled for the current session in round numbers 2500 students. The University is a great institution that is growing greater every year and should be the pride of every loyal Texan. The Daily Texan and The Texas Journalist, one the only student daily paper in the South and the other the official spokesman of the Department of Journalism, are welcome visitors at this office.

BALD-HEADED editors make the best writers says Joe Boehmer of the Eagle Pass News-Guide. What makes this so is because the editor doesn't have to worry about hair cuts, hair tonics or some irate reader coming in to pull his upper growth. —Eagle Lake Headlight.

To which charge I enter a general denial. Further, if I did say it it was during a lucid moment and in that case I was irresponsible. Further, while denying that I said it, I plead that if I did say it, it was with no thought of lauding myself nor of casting reflections on the writings of Getzendaner, Hondo Davis and such writers of known ability. In fact, I do not believe one's writing is affected so much by what one has on his head as by what one has in it. —Eagle Pass News-Guide.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or roaring in your ears, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed for ever, by the cause out of which it was caused. Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that can be cured by our method.

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THE economic loss to the world from want of thought would total an appalling sum. The man who closes his mind's eye and plunges blindly on, or as blindly lets things take their course, like one groping in the dark, is doomed ultimately to disaster. One's mental faculties were lent him for use and when we fail to make the best possible use of them we are not only cheating ourselves but wronging humanity as well. What humanity needs to be taught is how to think; and after being taught how to think, how to keep one's thought always "on the job."

THE oat crop of Medina County will possibly be shorter in point of acreage than last year and some fields got a serious setback in September, following a very early planting, but for the most part the oats are looking well and will afford valuable winter grazing. It is not too late yet for fall planting and it would be wise for some to yet increase their acreage. The heavy soils of this county are splendidly adapted to oats and they would afford a valuable rotation on lands where cotton has been dying from the root-rot. Oats are not susceptible to the disease, and a few seasons changes from cotton to non-susceptible crops starves it out of the soil.

THERE are two very urgent reasons why farmers in this section should break their cotton stubble as early and as deep as possible. In the first place, the stubble is infested with boll-weevils. Those mature weevils that hibernate through the winter will be the ones to infest the fields next year. By turning under all old stalks and other vegetable matter as early and as completely as possible we render it more difficult for the weevils to find hibernating quarters for the winter, and thereby exercise

LOSS OF POWER and vital force follow loss of flesh, or emaciation. These come from impoverished blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery enriches the blood, stops the waste of strength and tissue, and builds up healthy flesh. Thin, pale, puny children are made plump, rosy and robust by the "Discovery." They like it too.

In recovering from "Grippe," or in convalescence from pneumonia, fevers, or other wasting diseases, it speedily and surely invigorates and builds up the whole system. As an appetizing, restorative tonic, it sets at work all the processes of digestion and nutrition, rouses every organ into natural action, and brings back health and strength. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. Easy to take as candy.

the greatest possible precaution against their ravages next season. In the second place, where cotton is run on our tight lands, especially, for several consecutive years it dies out very extensively from root-rot. This is a fungus disease that is especially severe in tight, unairated lands. Therefore, such lands should be plowed as deep as possible in order to airate the land deeply and expose the fungi to the effects of the weather. It should be plowed early so as to make the time of aeration as extensive as possible and to turn under the most vegetable matter to keep the soil open for the freer circulation of the air and to supply needed plant foods to the soil. In this connection, it might be appropriate to add that land where cotton dies extensively could be helped materially by planting oats or rye on it now and turning it under green late in the winter, thus giving your next year's cotton land two thorough plowings and two coverings of green manure for one crop. It were better if possible to so rotate crops that cotton would only follow every third year but where this is not possible these other precautionary measures should be employed by all means. With the boll-weevil menace threatening and the root-rot infection spreading the man who continues to plant cotton without exercising some precautionary measures is gambling at mighty big odds.

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Have you ever gone through a typical pine forest when you had a cold? What a vigorous impulse it sent! How you opened wide your lungs to take in those invigorating and mysterious qualities. Yes, Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey possesses those stimulating qualities and overcomes hacking coughs. The inner lining of the throat is strengthened in its attack against cold germs. Every family needs a bottle constantly at hand. 25c.

Dies From Burns.

A very sad accident occurred Monday when Fielding Blackaller, aged 2 years and 4 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blackaller, of Frio Town, sustained burns that resulted in death early Wednesday morning. The child fell into a tub of scalding water, which was to be used in the week's washing. Although prompt attention was given, and the parents and others thought the little fellow was resting comfortably, when the physician arrived he found the child's condition hopeless, it being in a state of coma even then.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church at Frio Town Thursday morning at ten o'clock, Rev. O. F. Hatfield officiating. A number of sympathizing friends and relatives from Pearsall attended the funeral, and a general expression of deep sympathy from this community is extended the sorrowing parents.—Pearsall Leader.

Colds Do Not Leave Willingly.

Because a cold is stubborn is no reason why you should be. Instead of "wearing" it out, get sure relief by taking Dr. King's New Discovery. Dangerous bronchial and lung ailments often follow a cold which has been neglected at the beginning. As your body faithfully battles those cold germs, no better aid can be given than the use of this remedy. Its merit has been tested by old and young. Get a bottle to-day. 50c and \$1.00.

Lytle Farmers Organized.

Lytle, Tex., Nov. 21.—Fletcher Davis, field agent of the State Department of Agriculture, spoke to the school here Friday morning, to the general public at the school building here in the evening. At the evening meeting a Farmers' Institute was organized and D. H. Pugh elected president, J. A. McAskil, secretary; E. F. Ward, vice-president, and I. N. Johnson, entomologist. Lytle District has recently issued bonds for an addition to its school building and will introduce manual training and agriculture in the high school course.—San Antonio Express.

Women.

The safest Liver Medicine which you often need, is Po-Do-Lax. Headaches, biliousness and dizziness caused by constipation readily yield to this "May Apple" laxative. Remember that it is non-gripping and easy in action. It arouses the liver and increases the flow of bile without sickening effects. Get over that irritableness by removing the cause—constipation. No gas, no fermentation, no pain. Po-Do-Lax, the perfect woman's laxative. 50c a bottle.

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To Honor Old-Time Governor.
Descendants of the Wyandotte and Delaware Indians will take part in the placing of a marker on the grave of William Walker, territorial governor of Kansas and Nebraska, at Oak Grove cemetery September 29.
Mayor Green appointed the following committee. E. F. Heister, I. H. Gard, Edwin Heren, B. R. Lane, Samuel Beatty, O. K. Service, Mark Armstrong, Mrs. J. A. Hale, R. L. McAlpine, Frank Betton, W. W. Zane, Miss Lida R. Conley, John McAlpine, John Caskey and J. L. Smailey. Not all of the committee are of Indian descent. Some are descended from the early white settlers.
The monument is being placed by the Society of Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America. Governor Capper will attend the exercises and the governor of Nebraska also has been asked to be present.—Kansas City Star.

Hope.
In the hour of adversity be not without hope, for crystal rain falls from black clouds.—Nizami.

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Don't Invite Serious Sickness

"A stitch in time saves nine," is an old and true saying, but it is nevertheless true. Common colds and a constipated condition are the foundation of much serious illness and dread disease that could be avoided if prompt attention were given to the first so-called slight ailment.
Every family can provide prompt treatment for these first attacks of ill health—and every family should be prepared for an emergency by having on hand that standard old family cough syrup, Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for the relief of coughs, croup, whooping cough, irritated and inflamed throat, tight and sore chest, grippe and bronchial coughs.
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Lacoste Ledger News.

Last Thursday night Mr. Martin of Hondo gave us a moving picture exhibition in the Woodmen Hall, same was largely attended and was enjoyed by all. Mr. Martin informed us that he will give another exhibition in the same hall next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock Nov. 18th to which the public are all invited. The entrance fees are reasonable.

Miss Lucie Crane spent a few days with Lizzie Schuehle at Hondo.

Nic Tondre and family from Atascosa passed through our town on his way to Castroville.

Geo. Schuehle from Hondo was here on a visit to his many friends in this burg Friday.

Andrew Mechler from the Sauz was in town on business Friday evening.

Hy. Mangold and son, Howard, were at Noonan Friday to see after some of their cattle.

Mrs. Emil Mangold and little son were shopping here Wednesday morning.

Misses Katie and Elenora Zinsmeyer of Dilley are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keller.

Emil Mechler and sons were in town Friday on business and pleasure.

Wm. Wurzbach of Riomedina was shopping in our burg Saturday evening.

Louis Zinsmeyer and son of Dilley visited relatives here last Wednesday evening.

Alfred Keller was hauling lumber for his new residence the early part of this week.

Jos. Mueller of the North Side was transacting business here last Monday.

Miss Mayme Reicherzer was a few days visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jungmann at Spindletop last week.

Louis Johnson of Lytle passed through our town on a trip to Hondo, to attend District Court. He returned in the evening.

Mike Burrell and Frank Schwendeman of the French Settlement took in our town last Thursday evening.

Carpenters Ad. Reymann and Jno. Zaercher were repairing the roof on St. Mary's Church early this week.

Adolph Mangold who is attending school at St. Louis College in San Antonio was at Castroville for the Mangold-Keller wedding Tuesday.

Cured Boy of Croup.
Nothing frightens a mother more than the loud, hoarse cough of croup. Labored breathing, strangling, choking and gasping for breath demand instant action. Mrs. T. Neureuer, Eau Claire, Wis., says: "Foley's Honey and Tar cured my boy of croup after other remedies failed." Recommended for coughs and colds. Louis Carle, D'Hanis; W. H. Windrow, Hondo.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.
Mr. Arthur P. Reinhart of Sabinal and Miss Pocahontas Sullivan were married at Centerville November 8th.

Miss Olga Fisher visited homefolks Saturday and Sunday returning to Hondo that afternoon.—Utopia Cor.

Mr. J. W. Wentworth and family accompanied by his father went to Hondo last Friday on business.—Utopia Cor.

Mr. Emil Weber and family moved to the John Avant ranch Monday.—Utopia Cor.

Mrs. Joe Reily and Miss Hettie went to San Antonio Wednesday.

Mr. Val Vollmer and family went to San Antonio in auto Tuesday and returned Wednesday.

Went to the Hospital.
C. E. Blanchard, postmaster, Blanchard, Cal., writes: "I had kidney trouble so bad I had to go to the hospital. Foley Kidney Pills completely cured me." Men and women testify they banish lame back, stiff joints, sore muscles and sleep disturbing bladder ailments. Louis Carle, D'Hanis; W. H. Windrow, Hondo.

If I were a girl and some fellow I didn't like came to my boudoir and told me if I didn't marry him he would drown himself, I'd go right down to the river and help him pick out a good deep place.

CASTROVILLE ANVIL SPARKS

This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville—

ED. H. HUEHNER, Editor
who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted

John S. Monkhouse and two friends of San Antonio were pleasant callers here Friday.

Andre Ahr, the cattle buyer, made a business trip to Biry Friday.

Carpenters Ed. W. Tschirhart of Lacoste, S. A. Tschirhart of this place, and N. Frazier of the Devine neighborhood completed a large and commodious residence for Albert Geant of French Settlement during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Renken, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Carle, and Mrs. Emily Wernette and son, Leylois, of San Antonio attended the Burrell-Braun wedding Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burrell of Upper Medina attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mehr and baby of Bader Settlement were guests of Mr. and Mrs. And. Schneider one day this week.

Miss Elvera Wurzbach entertained with a birthday party Sunday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wurzbach. Refreshments were served during the evening. Those who attended had a most delightful evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schott left Wednesday for their new home near Biry.

C. L. Naegelin and little daughter, Hallie, and Chas. Marty of San Antonio visited here Wednesday.

Miss Elvira Jungman and brothers, Elmer and Edwin, of Devine, visited here Wednesday.

Dr. J. T. FitzSimon and son, James, were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Biediger and son, Ed. of Moore, Texas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Rihn Monday.

We are glad to report that Ben Kempf, who was bitten by a rattlesnake, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lieber of Riomedina were shopping here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steinle of Dunlay were guests of Chas. Wurzbach and family Sunday.

Mrs. Emil Naegelin and daughter, Mrs. Balzen, were shopping here Saturday.

Mrs. August Wurzbach and daughter, Miss Amanda, of Riomedina, visited here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grabner and Ed. Naegelin of San Antonio, were guests of Mrs. Emily Naegelin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Frerichs and Miss Frerichs visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zinsmeyer and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Rud Zinsmeyer of Dilley attended the Tschirhart-Zinsmeyer wedding here Monday.

Mrs. Joe Keller and Mr. and Mrs. William Keller and Miss Annie Rihn were Alamo City visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Biry of Devine were here for the Suehs-Naegelin wedding Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mann entertained with a dinner Sunday, Nov. 21st, the occasion being the fourth anniversary of their wedding. About twenty-five guests were present.

SUEHS-NAEGELIN.
The wedding of Mr. Chas. Suehs and Miss Alice Naegelin took place Wednesday morning, Nov. 17th, at 9:30, in the St. Louis Catholic Church. Rev. A. Heckman performed the ceremony, followed by a nuptial high mass.

The attendants were: Mr. Alfred Naegelin and Miss Emma Hoffman.

The bride was gowned in white satin, trimmed in pearls and lace and carried a large bouquet of chrysanthemums and ferns.

The bridesmaid was gowned in embroidered net and also carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums and ferns.

After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Theresa Naegelin, where a reception was had.

The young couple received many useful and beautiful presents.

TSCHIRHART-ZINSMEYER.
A very pretty wedding was solemnized in the St. Louis Catholic Church Monday morning, Nov. 22nd, at 9:30 o'clock.

The contracting parties were Mr. Paul Tschirhart of this place and Miss Katie Zinsmeyer of Dilley, Texas.

Rev. A. Heckman performed the marriage ceremony.

The attendants were: Mr. Sam Tschirhart and Miss Agnes Zinsmeyer, Mr. Gus. Zinsmeyer and Miss Mary Ahr, Mr. Julius Ahr and Miss Ella Zinsmeyer.

After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tschirhart, where a grand reception was had.

The bride is the second oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zinsmeyer of Dilley and is noted for her many admirable qualities.

The groom is the youngest son of Mr. Henry Tschirhart. He is considered one of the substantial and coming young men of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Tschirhart will make

their home up the river, near the Montel ranch where the groom has recently erected a neat bungalow.

KELLER MANGOLD.

A wedding of interest to many was that of Mr. William Keller and Miss Mary Mangold, which took place Tuesday morning, Nov. 16th, at 9:30 o'clock, at the St. Louis Catholic Church, Rev. A. Heckman performing the impressive marriage ceremony, following with a nuptial high mass.

The church was beautifully decorated with many varieties of ferns and pot plants.

The wedding party entered the church to the sweet strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March in the following order—the bride leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. Adolph Mangold, who acted as best man; then came the groom with his sister, Miss Adela Keller, as maid of honor; Miss Annie Rihn and Miss Cecelia Droitecourt were bridesmaids; Mr. Robert Keller and Mr. Andrew Kempf, groomsmen.

The bride was attired in a gown of white silk crepe meteor in princess of feet, trimmed in pearls, silk and oriental lace. Her veil was in cap effect and a wreath of orange blossoms, and she carried a magnificent bouquet of chrysanthemums and lace ferns.

The maid of honor was dressed in white embroidered net over silk and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums and ferns.

Miss Annie Rihn was dressed in cream silk poplin and Miss Cecelia Droitecourt in cream Albatross and each carried bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums and ferns.

The groomsmen were dressed in dark blue serge suits.

The home was beautifully decorated with pot plants and chrysanthemums for the occasion.

After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mangold, where a grand reception was had.

Mr. and Mrs. William Keller will make their home in Lacoste, where a beautiful new home awaits them.

BRAUN-BURELL.
A pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Burrell, in Castroville at 3 o'clock p. m., Nov. 16, 1915. The contracting parties were Miss Bertha Burrell and Mr. Ernest Braun.

The wedding was a large one, being witnessed by relatives and friends of the bride and groom.

At 3 o'clock the bridal party entered the hall where the young couple took their places underneath a big wedding bell, where Rev. Father Heckmann made them husband and wife.

The bridal attendants were: Mr. Robert Burrell as best man and Miss Tusnela Braun, maid of honor, Mr. Felix Braun, groomsmen and Miss Annie Haby as bridesmaid.

The bride was beautifully attired in cream color satin trimmed in silver tinsel lace and pearls with a pretty silk embroidered veil and carried a big lovely bouquet of tube roses and ferns with a big satin ribbon bow, tied together at the end with long streamers of little satin ribbon hanging down.

The maid of honor was dressed in white silk messaline trimmed with chiffon, lace, and pearls and a big bow of maline in back of hair and carried a big bouquet of tube roses, chrysanthemums and ferns, tied together with a big bow of maline.

The brides maid wore a dress of chiffon with silk underneath trimmed with light blue rose buds and big maline bow in hair and carried a bouquet of tube roses, chrysanthemums and ferns, tied together with maline bow.

After the ceremony a big wedding supper was served. The table was beautifully decorated with flowers and fern and the hall was decorated in blue and white crepe paper, which was tied in a big loop in each corner and caught together in the middle, where a big wedding bell hung right in the center.

The young couple received many beautiful presents.

Mr. Ernest Braun is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Braun of Helotes.

A free wedding dance was tendered the young couple at night. The dance began with a beautiful march.

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Divot Farmers Organize.
Quite a crowd of the Divot citizens turned out Monday at the meeting held there by County demonstrator, S. T. Dowe and Fletcher Davis. As a result a Farmers Institute was organized with the following officers: R. S. Park, president; J. I. King, vice-president; O. Breed, secretary, and Newton Summers, entomologist.—Pearsall Leader.

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Moreover, Eve might have avoided all her trouble on advice of counsel if there had been a lawyer in Paradise.

If you exercise your religion a little every day there will be no need of overworking it on Sunday.

THE RED CHIMNEY

By KEITH KENYON.

In the full flush of summertime foliage you could not see it from Burton's camp, but when the September winds began to send the leaves dancing it stood out plainly, one red chimney far up the valley of Little Creek.

The house of the red chimney had been untenanted for many years. He had been told at the local country store.

It was the only other house in the valley besides his own rough lodge, and he had not resented sharing the solitude until the morning when smoke rose leisurely into the air from the red chimney.

Burton watched it with unbelieving eyes. He waited until afternoon and then whistled his horse up from the lower meadow where it grazed and saddled it grimly. If any tramps or hoppers had taken up their abode there he made up his mind to oust them with short stiff.

It was a gallop of three miles around the bend of the river road. As he drew near, he caught a flutter of white from a clothesline in the yard. So the occupant was evidently feminine, which deprived him of some of the joy of retaliation. Still he looked decidedly stern and aggressive as he mounted the wide stone steps and knocked on the front door.

There was no answer, and after the second knock the very prettiest face he had ever looked upon appeared at the window beside him.

"I'm awfully sorry, but we haven't found the key to the front door yet. Won't you come around the side way?"

He strode through the grass doubtfully. On the side porch, in an old split-bottom rocker, he found another tenant, a little older than the first, but very nearly as distractingly pretty, and this one was paring potatoes.

"How do you do?" she said cheerfully. "Are you one of our neighbors?"

"I rather think I am your only neighbor in the valley," answered Burton gravely. "I have lived here three years in the summertime. Burton is my name."

"Ours is Colby. I am Beatrice Colby. This is my sister Nan."

Nan smiled at him and handed out another chair. Before he knew it, Burton was thawing and telling them all about the valley and of his coming to it when his own health had broken down back in New York. He had obtained tenting rights first from the trustee of the land. Probably they had rented from the same person.

"No," Nan told him quite frankly, "we just drove over and stayed here."

Somewhat rights evidently, thought Burton, and he made up his mind to stick to old Newton about it. Yet the days passed and he permitted the interlopers to remain undisturbed. It was rather pleasant to see smoke coming from the red chimney. Every other day he rode over to be sure his neighbors were getting along well. Nan, he found out, was the housekeeper. Beatrice was the provider for the family. They confided to him that she collected antiques for a New York dealer, and that they jaunted around to all kinds of out-of-the-way places.

It was at the end of the fourth week that Burton, looking at himself in the glass hung on his tent pole, told himself that he was in love. He looked over at the red chimney and accused it in his mind. Then he looked again and saw something that made him hold his breath. Up from the red chimney came masses of sulphurous smoke that stained the deep blue of the morning sky.

When he dropped from his saddle later, the white froth clung to his horse's flanks and breast, but he ran on up to the old house and found the two girls fighting a chimney fire. Nan had taken a ladder and leaned it against the house and tried to reach the chimney with salt bags, but had missed her footing.

"It's only a sprain," she called to him from the grass. "Go and help Beatrice. Mr. Newton came over, too."

"I don't care if the whole thing goes up in smoke," he said huskily, kneeling beside her. "Are you badly hurt. Tell me the truth, Nan."

"I'm all right, truly, truly." She tried to draw away from him, but Burton possessed her hands.

"I've loved you ever since I saw you at the window, Nan. You know it, too. Don't laugh at me."

"Shall I cry?" she asked whimsically. "You can't, you know. You've just hated us for spoiling your valley."

"It's our valley now," he said, when Beatrice and Mr. Newton came around the corner of the house bearing mops and pails.

"Well, it's out," said the old man. "How do you like your two landlords, Mr. Burton?"

Burton looked nonplused. "You know this whole valley is the old Colby estate. I'm mighty glad two of them cared enough about it to come home."

And he regarded them as invaders. He turned to Nan appealingly. "Shall I ever be forgiven?"

She laughed and held out her hand. "Do you think we would have put up with you so long, Jack, if we hadn't intended taking you into the family?"

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

A generous heart asks no reward; It is, like conscience, clear; A feast where all best gifts are stored, And guests have all good cheer, And with glad song In happy throng The hours prolong With loving friends whose presence makes life dear.

RICE, IN VARIETY.

Rice is such a common dish and withal so little varied that a few recipes which may give ideas will be welcomed.

Simple rice pudding, using three tablespoonfuls of rice, a quart of milk, sugar, nutmeg and a few raisins, put into a baking pan and baked for three or four hours in a slow oven is a most wholesome, nourishing dish which will be good food for the children and one which they like.

Add a few tablespoonfuls of coconut to a rice custard, or a cup custard for a change. Serve a chocolate sauce with plain boiled rice. Maple sugar sauce is another delicious one to use with plain boiled rice.

Rice With Fruit.—Rice is particularly good with peaches. Cook the rice and while still warm put into cups with sliced peaches to mold. Turn out and garnish with fresh sliced peaches, serve with sugar and cream. Pineapple is another fruit that goes well with rice. Chop it fine and stir it into the cooked rice, serve with cream and sugar or a drizzle of pineapple juice.

Rice With Cheese.—Take a half cupful of rice, drop it gradually into two cupfuls of boiling water and add more water as it cooks, if necessary. When perfectly tender let the water cook off, allowing the steam to escape. Make a rich cream sauce, using two tablespoonfuls of butter, two of flour and a cupful of rich milk or thin cream, cook until smooth. Mix the sauce with the rice, adding a cupful of grated cheese. Put into a baking dish and bake until hot. The cheese will be stringy if allowed to stay too long in a hot oven.

Rice With Tomatoes.—Cook the rice using a cupful of tomato juice at the last when nearly tender. This will be absorbed, then serve with a well seasoned, strained tomato sauce. To get the juice strain a can of tomato. To get the pulp for the sauce, put the tomato through a sieve.

Nellie Maxwell

THE KITCHEN CABINET

Some of your hurts you have cured, And the sharpest you still have survived, But what torments of grief you endured From evils which never arrived.

AROMATIC VINEGARS.

Those who enjoy changes in flavor and well seasoned delicacies will keep on hand a supply of various vinegars.

Pepper Vinegar.—Select 18 pods of red peppers, take out the stems and cut the pods in two; place them in a kettle with two quarts of vinegar and boil it away to a quart. Strain and seal. This is a fine flavor to add to catchup for fish sauce.

Many of the herbs used in aromatic vinegars may be raised in the home garden. A mint bed, nasturtiums, parsley, thyme, marjoram and others are all attractive flavors to be preserved in some form to be used in sauces.

Dry tarragon may be purchased if the fresh plant cannot be obtained. Allow a half pint of leaves to a quart of vinegar, steep in the vinegar for two weeks, strain through flannel, bottle and seal.

Horseradish Vinegar.—Pour a quart of boiling vinegar over one and a half cupfuls of grated horseradish, add two tablespoonfuls of sugar and one of salt and let stand one week, strain, bottle and keep to serve with meat and fish, to flavor salads, salad dressings and many other dishes.

Spice Vinegar.—Place the spices in a small bag and take them out when the vinegar seems sufficiently spicy, as otherwise the spice darkens the vinegar. For all these vinegars use cider vinegar for the foundation. Take two ounces each of parsley, thyme, sweet marjoram, mustard, celery seed, and one ounce each of allspice, cloves, pepper and mace; place in a jar and cover with a quart of vinegar; let it stand three days, then strain through a cheesecloth and bottle.

Celery Vinegar.—Pound three tablespoonfuls of celery seed in a mortar, add to a pint of vinegar and shake every day for two weeks, then strain and keep for use. Mint is prepared in the same manner. A large bunch of fresh mint, bruised, is placed in a pint of strong cider vinegar. Let stand for two weeks, strain and it is ready for use. Mint vinegar made three years ago is aromatic and fine-flavored yet.

Nellie Maxwell

A Few More Locals.

Prof. P. B. Peterson, Superintendent of the Hondo Public Schools, is in Corpus Christi in attendance on the teacher's convention.

We wish to go to press with this paper soon after noon on Friday of each week and in order to do so must have copy in early—please.

District Attorney L. J. Brucks returned Thursday evening from Bandera, district court having adjourned there after a very brief session.

Misses Millie Frerichs, Bertha and Minnie Oefinger and Messrs. Ernest Oefinger and Henry Schweers composed a merry party that motored to San Antonio Saturday.

Preaching at the Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene Saturday 8 p. m., Sunday 11 a. m. and Sunday 8 p. m. embracing second Sunday of each month by Mrs. E. Harrell. Also at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. on fourth Sundays, by J. T. Horger.

Fletcher Davis, of the State Agricultural Department, Judge S. A. Dewe, and local demonstrator, Ira A. Durrenberger, spent Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday visiting and making talks at the different schools over the County.—Pearsall Leader.

Ben Glaser's most recent invention is a belt dressing which has proved so satisfactory in the tests of it which have been made on the belts at Flach's mill, the Comfort creamery and other local plants, that Ben is now preparing the dressing for sale.—Comfort News.

Aug. Schellhase, who moved to Geo. in September, has just finished painting his new house and has found time also to kill a nice buck. Eddy and Gus Karger who moved to Geo. West at about the same time are also making good progress with their new farms.—Comfort News.

County Superintendent W. N. Saathoff left on Wednesday evening's train for Corpus Christi, where he went for the purpose of attending the teacher's convention. Prof. Saathoff is an educational enthusiast and never misses an opportunity to gain all possible knowledge that he can turn to the betterment of Medina county schools.

Business was lively with County Clerk Jungman the past week, he having issued marriage licenses to the following couples since our last report: Henry L. Weyand and Hildagard L. Rihn; Henry Conrad and Carolina A. Weyand; Paul E. Tondre and Ella Etter; Richard A. Carle and Agnes Mary Koch; and Rudolph E. Bertreaver and Mrs. Alice Mary Haass.

Real estate moved lively in Hondo Thursday evening, especially between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock, and the recent oil strike had nothing to do with it. A dry norther struck this section Thursday morning and steadily grew in violence until by the middle of the afternoon a perfect gale was blowing. Outside of the annoyance caused by the clouds of dust no damage, so far as we are informed, resulted from the activity of old boreas.

If Hondo had a few more citizens with the civic pride of Felix Batot it would be a much more desirable place of residence. He not only takes pride in keeping his own property, both improved and unimproved, clear of weeds and other unsightly growth, he has had recently considerable work done on Public Park. This is not the first time Mr. Batot has gone down in his pocket to improve the Park, and if others living adjacent thereto would show an equal interest Public Park would soon be a beauty spot instead of an eyesore, as it now sometimes is.

The bunch of football fans that left here last Thursday for College Station to witness the game between Texas U. and A. & M. returned on Saturday, the majority of the fans being very much elated over the outcome. As one of the bunch remarked, "It was an expensive and long journey to see a football game, but the game was worth it." It is getting to be that wherever athletic stunts out of the ordinary are pulled off you will usually find a representative from Hondo on the winning team, and the game of last Friday was no exception to the rule—Joe Rogers in this instance being Hondo's representative on the winning team. "Zeke," as his friends call him, did his part in the brunt of the battle and did his full share in annexing the game for A. & M. by a score of 13 to 0.

C. H. & S. A. Passenger Train Schedule.

WEST BOUND
No. 7 Arrives.....12:50 P. M.
No. 9 Arrives.....10:34 P. M.
EAST BOUND
No. 10 Arrives.....6:45 P. M.
No. 8 Arrives.....9:10 A. M.
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The Year's Program.

DECEMBER 13
"The Health of School Children." Leader—Dr. J. H. Fletcher.
JANUARY 10
"Co-operative Agencies" Leader—Prof. W. N. Saathoff.
FEBRUARY 14
"Vocational Education" Leader—Mrs. W. A. Schmitt.
MARCH 13
"Recreational Resources of a Community." Leader—Miss Selma Lewis.
APRIL 10
"The Larger Outlook." Leader—Mrs. G. W. Monkhouse.
MAY 8
"The School Vacation in the Community." Leader—Prof. P. B. Peterson.

To The Public.

On account of being unable to satisfactorily dispose of my dairy business, I have decided to continue the business indefinitely. I have purchased more cows and have sufficient milk to fill all orders, and will be in a position to supply all butter and butter milk calls in a short time. Thanking my customers for their past favors and soliciting future patronage on the promise of pure dairy products and a square deal, I am,
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To The Public.

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Thanking you in advance for your future patronage, I am,
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Scripture lesson: Psalms, 28, 12; 144, 15; 28, 1; 65, 4.
Prayer.
Song: "Come Ye That Love the Lord".
Leader's talk.
Sentence prayers.
Talk, by Pastor on subject.
Song: "Onward Christian Soldiers."
Select reading: O, Give Thanks unto the Lord," by Miss Pearl Newton.
Announcements.
League benediction.

Notice.

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